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### Our Island Correspondence.

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Off again among the gems of the ocean to revel in their beauties, and to luxuriate in their balmy and health-giving climate! Through a glorious night and a calm sea, that endurable nnisance, the Kilauca, had floundered along like a giant mud-turtle, and at daylight we were in front of Lahaina, smiling in a fresh robe of green that gave quite a charm to her faded beauties. We did not delay long, but pushed off, leaving two passengers, who remained behind to taste the Lahaina beverage-I do not know how to characterize it-and had to run a race with us on horseback over the mountains to Kalepolepo. We saw them on their winding way, as unsteady as their steeds, and appeared as if the aforesaid everage had an effect on their equilibrium. La-Thathough generally dry and dusty, has more

it than any other place on the Islands. It flows plentifully and seems to be easily accessfile and yet there is not a licensed drinking shop in the place. Why should such shameful violations of the law be permitted as are daily practiced in Lahaina? Where are the officers? Do they look upon the law as a dead letter? Is their vision so obtuse that they cannot see natives and foreigners reeling intoxicated through the streets, and not know the cause and where they procured the means of intoxication? If they wilfully neglect to perform their duty, their places should be supplied by others who will regard the law and not see it violated with impunity! But the fate of our two pasengers reminds me to warn all persons to beware of imbibing in Lahaina after the warning scream of the Ailauca's steam whistle!

The morning was calm and delicious. We moved along close to the shore, and at Owaloa witnessed the scene of the trencherous massacre of unoffending matives by Captain Metcalf, of the ship Eleanor-an act which, while it stamped his name with ignominy forever, injured the character of foreigners generally. A stain may be cast on the fair fame of a nation by ignorant and brutal captains and skippers, especially among a people who have not learned to discriminate between the character of a few worthless individuals and a nation. Policy requires that no man should be sent in command of any vessel, unless he be a man of intelligence and character.

was Kahoolawe and the volcanic Island of Molotains of 'Vest Maui, cleft by their deep wooded and shadow, gorges. In the shifting light and succession of gra.d dissolving views. Haleakala, with its broad sun-it dome, rose in front, smiling grandly over a w-le green vale of beauty. We steamed close to shoe in the calm lake-like waters, and passed a benetiful sheltered cove, which is designed as the new anding for Waikapu and Wailuku. The harbor is to be called Mc-Gregor's Landing, in honor of the indefatigable and efficient Captain of the Kilaue. It is well sheltered from the trade winds, protected by high basaltic hills, and has a beautiful white sandy tract has been taken to construct a good road from this point to Maalaca-one mile ditant

beyond the point. We steamed into Maalaea Bay in front of the metamorphie sandstone on some desert coast, destitute of such ornaments as trees and not surrounded by vegetation. They appeared lonely, desolate and blight-striken, and created in me a wonder how the inhabitants lived-how they

procured their subsistence. We landed. Procuring a horse of the " cropgared and bob-tailed " species from a native, we mounted, passed out of the sand beach on to the green plain, and came in sight of a low, rounded and isolated hill-a cote sans dessein-rising out of the level grass valley, over which hovers a legendary history. It is cafled Puuhele-hill of departure, or walking hill. In ancient and consequently pre-historic times, in these Islands, it was the penal point of starting for certain offences. The offender was condemned to take his departure from this hill, and, with a certain bundle-a log of wood, I believe-was compelled to make the circuit of the Island of Maui and return again to the same spot, somewhat resembling the "ring" punishment indicted for drunkenness in the U. S. Army, when I went "a soldiering." Desiring to see the landing at Kalepolepo, if not and some acres of choice growth have been known store on Fort Street. B. rly opposite M. sers. to make a circuit of the Island, I pushed on along to far exceed this production. The business of the the desolate sandy shore and found a large house, surrounded by several indifferent ones, like Fallstaff towering and spreading over his ragged regiment. I was kindly received by Mr. Halstend, who is monarch of all he surveys, and almost as lonely as Robinson Crusoc, although he has men Fridays about him. His house, large and barnlike, is situated in a little indentation of the sandy and surf-beaten shore. The landing is good in the absence of a kona, or a strong north wind, and is the point where the steamer touches. Much of the shipping business for Waikapu and Wailuku is done here, and perhaps it may be re-Amerative to the proprietor. It ought to be so, for, unless a person is in love with desolation, it ofers no inducements as a residence. The eye is son wearied on a waste of waters and a dreary sand-beach, and is painfully filled with sand as he turns to look at the frowning grandeur of Haleakela or the sand-clouded isthmus that extends towards Wailuku. I lunched in imagination, turned my jaded steed's head toward Waikapu, and worrying through the dry and sandfilled hed of the channel that formerly divided the Islands of East and West Maui, again stood on

the hard and stony ground near Puuhele or Penal

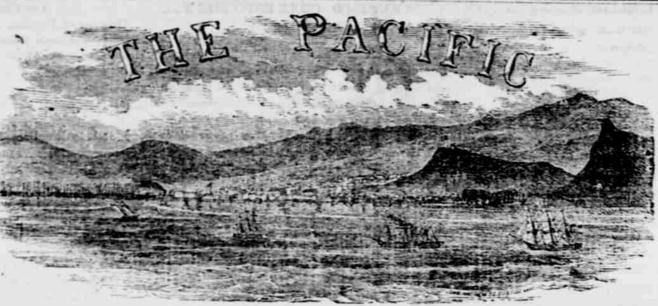
Hill, and shaking the sand in a shower from my

arments and extricating it from my nostrils,

just left was not inappropriately called Kalepo-

lepo, or dirty of dirties. Letting my steed catch

reathed free again, and thought the place I had



### HENRY M. WHITNEY.

a fresh breath of air and cleanse his throat by cropping a few blades of grass, I induced him to raise a staggering gallop over the ascending plain toward Waikapo.

The plain around Puuhele and extending from the lofty ridges of West Maui to the sea and the central sand dunes of the valley, is very fertile and is now clothed with the richest grasses and waving with vegetation; but in the dry season it is parched and withered. All it wants is irrigation to make it a perfect Eden of fertility. From the formation of the adjacent mountains and the quantity of rain that is distilled upon them, I am confident that artesian wells can be procured. All this tract of several thousand acres is what is termed school land, now leased out as common or pasture land to the Waikapu Plantation.

Riding over the fertile plain I noticed where the wash from the mountains had worn deep gullies, that the soil was several feet doep and of a rich alluvion. The road was good, and the worthy Road Overseer, H. W. Daniels, deserves the eredit of the public, for, with the limited means at his disposal, he has made great improvement in the highways. He has constructed on the Wailuku road some of the best and most substantial bridges on the Island, and if he had adequate funds he would have the best roads.

On rising a wave-like swell in the plain, the beautiful valley of

Walkapu

Appeared before me waving in luxuriaut cane: and the sugar house and plantation buildings gave it the appearance of a thrifty and well-built village. I crossed the stream of Waikapu-the place of sounding the conch, or war horn of Kamehameha's warriors, previous to the battle of Wailuku-and rode rapidly up to the hospitable residence of Henry Cornwell, Esq., the proprietor of the Waikapu Plantation. I was warmly welcomed and soon made at home in one of the most romantic and picturesque situations in these Isles of the Seas, so rich in beautiful scenery and delightful views. The tasteful and comfortable residence is situated at an elevation of about one thousand feet above the level of the sea, on an inclined plane that sweeps from the mountain's base to the level of the valley, in the ancient sandmarked channel. Fresh and healthful breezes ever play around it : its elevation gives it a delicious coolness, and we feel that we are breathing health in every inspiration. A sense of gladness, freshness, of exhibaration seems around us. A grateful fragrance comes wafted from the shrubbery and flowers; the bum of the bee and the song of the bird delight the ear, while the eve We enjoyed the distant mountain view of Ha- feasts upon a scene of glorious beauty. To the waii, where the snow-clad Kea and Loa smiled in right the view extends over the verdant plain to reseate beauty over the illuminated cloud-veils the ocean at Maalaca Bay; to the left it sweeps but draped the Island beneath them. Nearer by Wailuku and the serrated mountains to the sea on the north; in front the emerald plain kini, bile to the left rose the precipitous moun- sweeps to the base of the vast regular dome of Haleakela, which rises magnificently above the clouds. Clearly and coldly it stood forth from shade, as we wept past them, they appeared a the dark blue back ground of sky, as I gazed upon it and thought it the model of mountains. The whits houses and churches of Makawao and Haiku Commission Merchant and General Shipping Agent, glittered in the distance.

Westward the view ranges over the precipitous and variegated mountains of West Maui, which rise abruptly up from their sloping base, seamed and cleaved with deep and wooded gorges that wind away in shadowy darkness between sharp and steep ridges. High up on one of these I noticed a white flag, and on inquiring ascertained that it was the tomb of an ilio, recently conbeach. It was unruffled as a quiet lake. A con- structed by the naives. It seems that the dogs of the neighborhood, with wolf-like propensities, had entered Mr. Cornvell's sheep Jen and anticipated the butcher b; killing some fifty-four head of sheep. By some unknown agency poison loneliest looking hamlet I ever saw. Its two was sprinkled over the sleep, and on a second board warehouses and seven halepilis, in yellow- nocturnal visit to the same pen a favorite nativish-brown squares, looked like great blocks of dog died with "wool in his eeth," and he was nterred by his superstitious owners on the high rage overlooking the plain, as a warning to all futire canines not to indulge the appetite for

> Mr. Cornwell has three hundred acres of cane in cultivation, and designs to keep teat quantity ready for the mill by a system of regular and judicious plasting. He has about one thousand acres of gool cane land, but water to irrigate it is not sufficient to assure the cultivation of mare than three hundred acres at one time profitably. The rains are not to be depended upon for the cultivation of cane on Maui; and although the soil is extraordinarily fertile, it requires artificial moisture for most productions. Maize and cotton would produce an annual crop, if planted the first of December, and Irish and sweet potatoes produce well when planted at the same time, for then they get all the benefit of the winter rains and escape the scourge of the caterpillar or army worm. The cane at Waikapu, when well cultivated and irrigated, will yield the extraordinary product of four to five tons of sugar to the acres; plantation is conducted on an economical, goahead principle. The active and energetic proprietor is up early, always stirring, always pushing, and everything on the place wears an air of his industry. Although occupied in the more important business of the cane, he is not forgetful of the ornamental. He is terracing and leveling the grounds around his residence and planting a variety of trees and shrubbery with the rarest flowers, as well as fruit trees for utility.

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